

ASSOCIATION OF BAY AREA GOVERNMENTS

Representing City and County Governments of the San Francisco Bay Area



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Date: May 11, 2009

To: Executive Board

Fr: Laura Thompson
SF Bay Trail Project

Re: Resolution – Hon. Bill Lockyer

Summary: Request Executive Board to adopt Resolution 12-09 commending and thanking the Honorable Bill Lockyer for his role in the planning and implementation of the Bay Trail.

Discussion: In celebration of its 20th Anniversary, the San Francisco Bay Trail Project, in partnership with Association of Bay Area Governments, the City of Hayward, the East Bay Regional Park District, the Hayward Area Shoreline Planning Agency and the Hayward Area Recreation and Park District will host a reception on June 6th at the Hayward Shoreline Interpretive Center from 1PM to 4PM. The Honorable Bill Lockyer, California State Treasurer, will be honored at the reception for his authorship of Senate Bill 100 – a seminal event for the planning and implementation of the Bay Trail. Adoption of the resolution will enable ABAG to present it State Treasurer Lockyer at the reception.

Requested Action: Adopt Resolution 12-09



**ASSOCIATION OF BAY AREA GOVERNMENTS
EXECUTIVE BOARD**

RESOLUTION NO. 12-09

**RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE HONORABLE BILL LOCKYER FOR HIS VISION
AND GUIDANCE IN THE CREATION OF THE SAN FRANCISCO BAY TRAIL**

WHEREAS, the Honorable Bill Lockyer authored Senate Bill 100 enacted in 1987 that empowered the Association of Bay Area Governments (ABAG) to develop and adopt a plan for implementation of a program to create a continuous recreational corridor around the perimeters of San Francisco and San Pablo Bays – the San Francisco Bay Trail (Bay Trail); and

WHEREAS, ABAG developed the plan for the Bay Trail: a planned public access corridor that, when complete, will encircle San Francisco and San Pablo Bays with a continuous 500-mile network of recreational bicycling and hiking trails that link to parks and other recreational facilities and to existing and proposed public transportation facilities; and

WHEREAS, in the twenty years since enactment of Senate Bill 100, close to 300 miles of the Bay Trail have been completed; and

WHEREAS, the vision and leadership of the Honorable Bill Lockyer was essential to elevating the Bay Trail as a regional priority and garnering the widespread support for its implementation.

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Executive Board of the Association of Bay Area Governments that the Association of Bay Area Governments hereby commends the Honorable Bill Lockyer for his vision and leadership in the creation of the Bay Trail and extends its deepest appreciation for his support in its implementation.

The foregoing adopted by the Executive Board this 21st day of May, 2009.

Rose Jacobs Gibson
President

Certification of Executive Board Approval

I, the undersigned, the appointed and qualified Secretary-Treasurer of the Association of Bay Area Governments (Association), do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Executive Board of the Association at a duly called meeting held on the 21st day of May, 2009.

Henry L. Gardner
Secretary-Treasurer

Approved as To Legal Form

Kenneth K. Moy
Legal Counsel

